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DECLARATION OF WILLIAM G. MAVITY

I, WILLIAM G. MAVITY, declare as follows:

- 1. I am the President of Paracor Medical, Inc. I have first hand knowledge of the facts set forth herein.
- 2. I am authorized to act on behalf of Paracor Medical, Inc., the Assignee of U.S. Patent No. 7,097,611. As President of Paracor Medical, Inc., I am authorized to act on behalf of the company relating to the addition of John Eugenio as a co-inventor.
- 3. Paracor Medical, Inc. was previously known as Paracor Surgical, Inc. The Assignment from originally-named inventors Lilip Lau and Bill Hartigan to Paracor Surgical, Inc. can be found at Reel/Frame: 012175/0471 which was recorded on September 10, 2001.

- 4. The Assignment from Paracor Surgical, Inc. to Paracor Medical, Inc. can be found at Reel/Frame: 021630/0508 which was recorded on October 4, 2008.
- 5. The Assignment of John Eugenio to Paracor Medical, Inc. is being filed concurrently with the Declaration of John Eugenio.

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